

PROVIDER ALERT

AUTHORIZATION PARAMETER UPDATE – Part 1 SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER PROVIDERS

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Effective July 22, 2015, ValueOptions has updated the authorization choices for providers to ease administration and resolve some current claims issues. Please carefully review the information below and choose the proper authorization category based on the services you are providing.

For SUD services, physicians (and those providers billing a CPT code for services) need to use the authorization categories under drop-down "Provider Type 20". SUD Programs should use the appropriate category under their respective Provider Types of 50 or 32.

ValueOptions will be holding a series of webinars explaining these changes starting tomorrow, Friday, July 24, 2015. A schedule will be published shortly.



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Outpatient Substance Use Workflow

Type of Care Drop Down Updates

"Buprenorphine Induction" is now "Program (Provider Type 32) Buprenorphine Induction"

"Buprenorphine Maintenance" is now "Program (Provider Type 32) Buprenorphine Maintenance"

"Outpatient Treatment" is now "Program (Provider Type 50) Outpatient Treatment"

"Outpatient Assessment (TCA)" is now "Outpatient Assessment"

New Type of Care "Physician (Provider Type 20) Buprenorphine Maintenance" has been added.

New Type of Care "Physician (Provider Type 20) Buprenorphine Induction" has been added.

New Type of Care "Private Practice Outpatient Treatment" has been added. For Provider Type 20.

